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LOUISVILLE, NEW ALBANY AND CHICAGO RAILROAD.

On and after Tuesday, Dec. 3, passenger trains will leave New Albany as follows:

LEAVE NEW ALBANY.

Chicago and St. Louis Express (daily except Sunday) 8:30 A. M.

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The Cumberland River Fight.

VIVID DESCRIPTION OF THE BATTLE—THE GLO-RIOUS TENTH INDIANA—WOLFORD'S CATALYTIC

POUNCE—THE TENTH INDIANA—THE LOSS OF BOTH SIDES—LETTER FROM THE TENTH KENTUCKY.

CAMP MILL SPRING, Jan. 20, 1862.

Editors Democrat—Gentlemen: I suppose

are this you have been advised by telegraph

of the complete rout of Zollioff's army,

and the capture of all his wagons, horses,

artillery and camp equipage. I will only

detail some of the circumstances connected

therewith:

On Sunday morning, about half-past five

o'clock, General Zollioff, with two regiments

of Mississippians, and three regiments of Tennesseeans,

attacked the advance of General Thomas.

The enemy approached within a

half mile of the Tenth Indiana's camp,

drove in the pickets, and commenced to

assail the camp. The Indiana were soon

in line, and advanced about 800 yards to an

open field, when the enemy fired from all

sides, and cut them down very fast. The

Indiana sustained the assault in this

position until nearly seven o'clock, when

they fell back, step by step, until within

one hundred yards of their camp, where

they made a stand. The enemy kept the rifle

bay until the Fourth Kentucky came up.

Both regiments then engaged the enemy.

Col. Fry leading his men up to within 50

yards of the line. At this moment Gen.

Zollioff, at the head of a regiment of

Mississippians, rode up and said: "Don't

shoot these men; they are ours," at the

same time firing at Col. Fry. Col. Fry

replied that he "knew it," and drew his revolver

and shot him through the left breast, very

close to the heart. At this, the Missis-

sippians started to run, when the Second

Minnesota and the 9th Ohio rushed into the

fray, and then the fight grew fiercer. Ex-

cept the retreating Mississippians, the re-

maining fighting men, again and again the

Union boys charged, and at every charge

they gained additional ground, having driven

the rebels through a neck of woods a quar-

ter of a mile wide. At the end of the woods

there was an open space of perhaps half a

mile, and through this the dead rebels were

driven at every step. From this the rebels

retreated in disorder, the Union boys after

them.

The enemy never rallied after the hot time

in the open field, but ran, throwing can-

teers, guns and baggage, for seven miles.

The pursuit was followed by the 4th Ken-

tucky, 2d Minnesota and the 9th Ohio, kept

up the chase until within five hundred yards

of their camp, when Kinney's battery, which

had done excellent service in the forenoon,

commenced throwing shells at their fortifica-

tions. At this time the 14th Ohio and 10th

Kentucky came up, having made a forced

march of eighteen miles since 11 o'clock.

The bombardment continued until sunset,

when the rebels fled in confusion, taking

positions for the next day. The 10th Ken-

tucky and 14th Ohio were placed in a small

strip of woods, within 500 yards of the

breastworks.

At daylight Col. Harlan led his regiment

at a double-quick up to the first row of

breastworks. He was followed by Colonel

Stedman, with the 14th Ohio, both regiments

going like a whirlwind through the camp

of the rebels, and within two weeks

within one hundred yards of the river, we

came in sight of the tail end of the grand

army of Zollioff crossing the Cumberland

river. A few more shells and a round or

two from the flanking companies ended the

contest. In a moment their boat was on

fire, and floated down the stream, burning

to the water's edge. Besides the killing of

Zollioff and about 200 rebels, we captured

150 prisoners, 1,000 head of horses and

mules, 15 pieces of artillery, 800 wagons,

and their whole camp equipage, private

baggage, and provisions (enough of the

latter to feed the army for two weeks).

I omitted, in the proper place, to observe

that Wolford's cavalry made a brilliant

charge on the enemy, and were forced to

LOCAL NEWS.

Don't Send us 10-Cent Stamps.

We can not use any stamps of a greater

denomination than three cents, and we must

therefore caution our friends against send-

ing them. It will only subject us to the

necessity of returning them.

MURDER IN NELSON COUNTY—MYSTERIOUS

AFFAIR.—Through a gentleman who arrived

yesterday at noon from Bardonia, we learn

the story of a murder committed in the

vicinity of that place, on Thursday. The

story is current in Bardonia, and is there

believed to be reliable.

It seems that the 1st and 2d Kentucky,

4th Kentucky Cavalry, and 85th Indiana

are encamped about three miles from Bar-

donia, on the lands of Mr. Wm. Sutherland.

He has been suspected of secession pro-

clivities, but so far as the officers of the 1st

and 2d (who had been there only two days)

know, the suspicion had not been confirmed.

He had been on the ground, and in a cor-

dial, or at least not disagreeable, manner

had pointed out to the officers the trees he

preferred should be left standing.

Wednesday evening a couple of the 2d

Kentucky caught and killed a hog belong-

ing to Mr. Sutherland, for which Col. Sedg-

wick promptly had them arrested; and on

Thursday morning two more of the 2d went

to Mr. Sutherland's house, and notifying

him of what had been done, stated that they

had come up, or been sent by Col. Sedgwick,

to settle with him for the value of the hog,

stating at the same time that the men had

been arrested; they also told him that the

Colonel wished to see him.

About three o'clock that afternoon he

was found in a retired part of his farm

upon whom to fix the guilty deed, neither

the officers in command nor the citizens of

Bardonia have any idea; but we learn that

the matter will be investigated. We trust

that the murderers may be detected and

properly punished.

POLICE PROCEEDINGS.—Friday, Jan. 24.

Charles Croall, disorderly conduct. It

appears from the testimony that the accused

is a lunatic. As there is no way of sending

the unfortunate to Hopkinsville, he was

discharged.

Ben. Faucet, slave of Mr. Simrall, dis-

orderly conduct. Security in \$100 to be of

good behavior as long as he lives. This is

the same nigger that Chas. J. J. arrested

for stealing the watch, &c., of Dr. Gunn.

Com. by Mary House & Mrs. Rowser,

assault and battery warrant. Dismissed at

defendant's costs.

Ordinance Docket.—Com. vs. C. Bristol,

selling liquor on Sunday. Fined \$5.

Com. vs. C. D. Whipple, keeping a lively

stable without license. Fined \$5.

Com. vs. Robinson & Young, selling gro-

ceries without license. Dismissed at de-

fendant's costs.

Com. vs. A. Bland, exchange office with-

out license. Dismissed at defendant's

costs.

Com. vs. Metcalf & McCorkhill, selling

goods without license. Fined \$5.

Com. vs. Nathan Frank, same. Dismissed

at defendant's costs.

Com. vs. Dinkelspiel, same. Dismissed

at defendant's costs.

Com. vs. W. E. Wado, selling lottery tick-

ets without license. Dismissed at defend-

ant's costs.

Com. vs. James Swinney, selling goods

without license. Dismissed at defendant's

costs.

COL. BRUCE'S BRIGADE.—We learn that

the 1st Kentucky, Col. Bayart; 2d, Col.

Sedgwick, and the 20th, Col. Bruce, have

been brigaded under Col. S. D. Bruce. Col.

B is a fine officer, a strict disciplinarian,

and will have a splendid brigade. A gen-

tleman from Bardonia tells us that the 1st

and 2d Kentucky made the most soldierly

appearance of any troops that have passed

through that place, and, with the seven

months' experience they had in Western

AMUSEMENTS.

THEATER.—A large and a brilliant audience

attended the theater last night, the occasion

being the performance of the play, "The

Slave Ship," by the company of Miss Ince.

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